

Amendments to the Claims

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (currently amended) An alignment device for aligning a punch tool having internal guides to punch a design into a specific location on a sheet media, said alignment device comprising:

a clip, said clip comprised of first and second resilient arms meeting at a connection point; and

a first guide edge disposed angularly from said first resilient arm, corresponding to the internal guides of the punch tool, such that when said punch tool is secured in said clip between said first and second resilient arms and said sheet media is placed along said first guide edge, said punch tool is positioned to punch a design into the specific location on said sheet media.

2. (original) The alignment device as claimed in claim 1, further comprising a second guide edge disposed angularly from said second resilient arm, such that when said punch tool is secured in said clip between said first and second resilient arms and said sheet media is placed along said first and second guide edges, said punch tool is

positioned to punch a design into said sheet media.

3. (currently amended) The alignment device as claimed in claim 2, wherein said first and second guide edges define first and second [axes] axes extending parallel to first and second guide edges, said first and second [axes] axes meet at a 90 degree angle.

4. (currently amended) The alignment device as claimed in claim 1, [where is] wherein said punch tool maintains a sheet media slot, said alignment device further comprises a first punch tool projection disposed on said first resilient arm such that when said punch tool is fit into said clip between said first and second resilient arms, said first punch tool projection fits into said punch tool media slot.

5. (original) The alignment device as claimed in claim 4, where is said punch tool maintains a sheet media slot, said alignment device further comprises first and second punch tool projections disposed on said first and second resilient arms such that when said punch tool is fit into said clip between said first and second resilient arms, said first and second punch tool projections fits into said punch tool media slot.

6. (original) The alignment device as claimed in claim 1, further comprises a first guide surfaces disposed at the end of said first resilient arm, configure to support said sheet media when placed into said punch tool.

7. (original) The alignment device as claimed in claim 6, further comprises a first and second guide surfaces disposed at the end of said first and second resilient arms, configure to support said sheet media when placed into said punch tool.

8. (original) The alignment device as claimed in claim 1, wherein said clip further comprises a punch tool tab that extends from said clip so as to provide additional stability when said punch tool is fitted into said clip.

a 9. (original) The alignment device as claimed in claim 1, wherein said clip and said first and second resilient arms is U-shaped.

10. (original) The alignment device as claimed in claim 1, wherein said clip and said first and second resilient arms are constructed of resilient plastic.

11. (original) The alignment device as claimed in claim 1, wherein said clip and said first and second resilient arms are constructed of a polymer.

12 - 14. (cancelled without prejudice).

15. (currently amended) The alignment device as claimed in claim 1, wherein said [punch tool] clip further maintains a design indicia corresponding to the design that said punch tool punches in said sheet media.

16. (new) An alignment device for aligning a punch tool to punch a design into a sheet media, said alignment device comprising:

a clip, said clip comprised of first and second resilient arms meeting at a connection point;

a first guide edge disposed angularly from said first resilient arm, such that when said punch tool is secured in said clip between said first and second resilient arms and said sheet media is placed along said first guide edge, said punch tool is positioned to punch a design into said sheet media.

a second guide edge positioning guide for aligning the punch tool relative to a feature on the sheet media, said second guide edge position guide, disposed at the end of said first resilient arm, is configured such that said positioning guide can be used to align said punch tool relative to an edge of said sheet media by positioning the sheet media under the arm and positioning guide, aligning the punch tool relative to a feature within the surface area of the sheet media.

17. (new) The alignment device as claimed in claim 16, further comprising a second guide edge disposed angularly from said second resilient arm, such that when said punch tool is secured in said clip between said first and second resilient arms and said sheet media is placed along said first and second guide edges, said punch tool is positioned to punch a design into said sheet media.

18. (new) The alignment device as claimed in claim 17, wherein said first and second guide edges define first and second axes extending parallel to first and second

guide edges, said first and second axes meet at a 90 degree angle.

19. (new) The alignment device as claimed in claim 16, wherein said punch tool maintains a sheet media slot, said alignment device further comprises a first punch tool projection disposed on said first resilient arm such that when said punch tool is fit into said clip between said first and second resilient arms, said first punch tool projection fits into said punch tool media slot.

20. (new) The alignment device as claimed in claim 19, where is said punch tool maintains a sheet media slot, said alignment device further comprises first and second punch tool projections disposed on said first and second resilient arms such that when said punch tool is fit into said clip between said first and second resilient arms, said first and second punch tool projections fits into said punch tool media slot.

21. (new) The alignment device as claimed in claim 16, further comprises a first guide surfaces disposed at the end of said first resilient arm, configure to support said sheet media when placed into said punch tool.

22. (new) The alignment device as claimed in claim 21, further comprises a first and second guide surfaces disposed at the end of said first and second resilient arms, configure to support said sheet media when placed into said punch tool.

23. (new) The alignment device as claimed in claim 16, wherein said clip

further comprises a punch tool tab that extends from said clip so as to provide additional stability when said punch tool is fitted into said clip.

24. (new) The alignment device as claimed in claim 16, wherein said clip and said first and second resilient arms is U-shaped.

25. (new) The alignment device as claimed in claim 16, wherein said clip and said first and second resilient arms are constructed of resilient plastic.

26. (new) The alignment device as claimed in claim 16, wherein said clip and said first and second resilient arms are constructed of a polymer.

27. (new) The alignment device as claimed in claim 16, wherein said clip further maintains a design indicia corresponding to the design that said punch tool punches in said sheet media.
